AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the

application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

Claims 1-3 (canceled).

Claim 4 (previously presented): [[The]] An automated transaction apparatus ~~according~~

~~to claim 6~~ for processing a first transaction including a withdrawal transaction and a second

transaction with a user by using a card, comprising:

a first line unit for enabling communications with a first data processing device connected

via a private line;

a second line unit for enabling communication with a second data processing device

connected via a commercial line including the Internet;

an operating unit for enabling the user to select either said first transaction or said second

transaction; and

a controller for controlling to perform said first transaction including the withdrawal

transaction by connecting with said first data processing device through the first line unit when

said first transaction is selected by said operating unit, and for controlling to perform said second

transaction by connecting said second data processing device through the second line unit when

said second process is selected by said operating unit,

wherein said controller encrypts data related to said first transaction requiring processing

by said first data processing device, generates an encryption key for decoding said encrypted

data, sends said encryption key to said first data processing device, sends said encrypted data to

said second data processing device, and causes said second data processing device to send said

encrypted data to said first data processing device.

Claim 5 (currently amended): The automated transaction apparatus according to claim

[[6]] 4, wherein said controller encrypts data related to said second transaction requiring

processing by said second data processing device, generates an encryption key for decoding said

encrypted data, sends said encryption key to said first data processing device, sends said

encrypted data to said second data processing device, and causes said first data processing device

to send said encryption key to said second data processing device.

Claim 6 (canceled).